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The Ferihegy-Vecses (H61) Airport.

- This airfield, located only 11 km. southeast of Budapest, is a major civilian terminal for air traffic flowing into and from the Hungarian capital. It is managed by Maszovlet (Hungarian-Russian Civilian Airline Company) whose main offices are at Dorotya Street 4, Budapest. The following daily flights were observed at this field;
 - Budapest-Győr-Szombathely
 - Budapest-Nagykanizsa-Pecs
 - Budapest-Debrecen-Nyiregyhaza

Budapest-Miskolc

Budapest-Bucharest (Rumania)

Budapest-Prague (Czechoslovakia)

- Budapest-Warsaw (Poland), or Budapest-Moscow via Warsaw.
- The airport area is about 3,000 m. by 2,400 m.; for its location see b. sketch I. Note the barracks compound southwest of the field. This compound consists of nine 2-story buildings.
- Legend to sketch II, the Ferihegy-Vecses airfield; C.
 - Operations building;
 - Weather station;
 - AVH guard building
 - Hote1
 - Hotel

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Concrete underground storage tanks with capacity of approximately

Guard post at the entrance;

- Garage about 45 m.x 20 m.; Garage about 45 m.x 20 m.;
- Electric transformer station; 10)
- Concrete hangar, 80 m.x 35 m.;
 Engine repair shops;
- Machine shop;
- Assembly shed;
- Garage and repair shop;
- Dressing room and bath for employees;

2. The Esztergom (Z 27) Airfield.

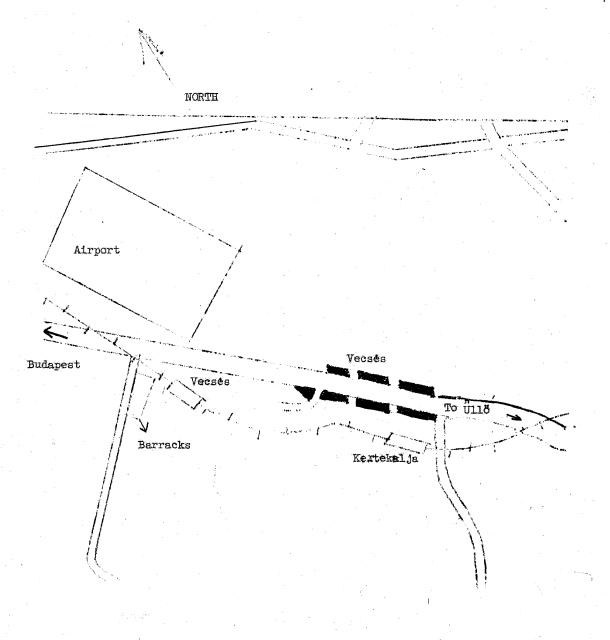
- The airfield, which hitherto was only used for glider training, is still under construction. It will be a military field. The aximum dimensions of the improved area will not exceed 1,300 m. x 800 m. Approximately 250 men are employed in the construction.
- Legend to sketch III, the Esztergom airfield:
 - A former wooden hangar which has been demolished; the new hangar will be built on this site and will be 80 m. \times 45 m.
 - A recently-laid bed for a concrete runway.
 - Two sheds for housing workers;
 - Ground-level machine shop under construction;
 - Two-story structure for housing under construction
- The work should be completed by the end of September 1952. At the time of observation the airfield was already surrounded by a fence.

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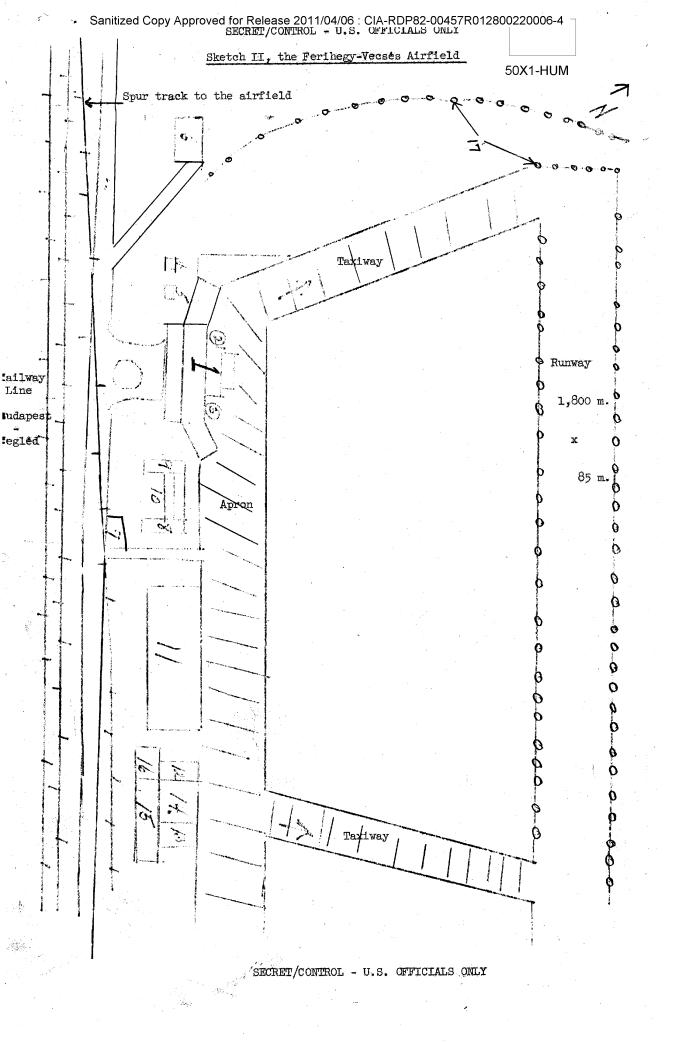
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Sketch I, Area of Ferihegy-Vecses Airport

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